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This response is to the Notice of Informal Application mailed on November 3, 2004.

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

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Declaration

- 1) Signed by inventor Lee J. Peart.

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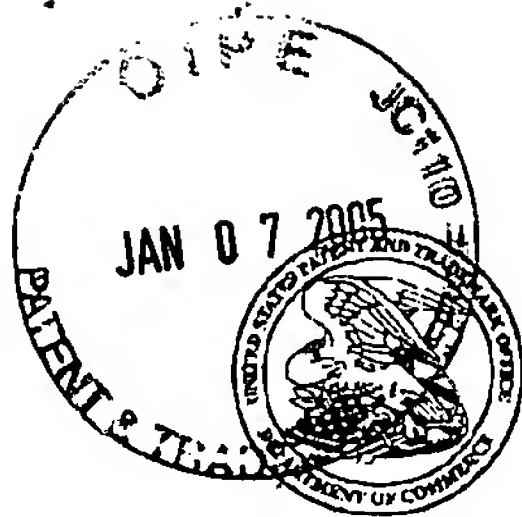
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